

## REMARKS

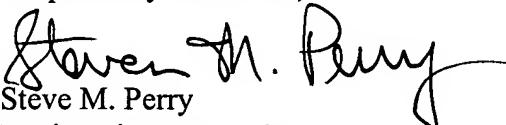
Please cancel claims 1, 4 and 5. Applicant respectfully submits that the remaining pending claim 6 is now in condition for allowance. Therefore, Applicant requests that the rejections and objections be withdrawn, and that the claim be allowed and passed to issue. If any impediment to the allowance of this claim remains after entry of this Amendment, the Examiner is strongly encouraged to call Steve M. Perry at (801) 566-6633 so that such matters may be resolved as expeditiously as possible.

No claims were added, while five claims were canceled (claims 1-5), including independent claims 1 and 4. Therefore, no additional fee is due.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or to credit any overpayment in connection with this Amendment to Deposit Account No. 20-0100.

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